APPEARS BEFORE LABOR BODY

tion in Person to Executive Council for

Charter in Federation of Labor.

from which he transacts the business of the fraternity. As far as is known, U. S. G. A. on its amateur ruling, passhe talked with no newspaper men while ed at the meeting of the national association.

U. S. G. A. Interpretation.

an amateur golfer will be taken by the

western body has taken issue with the

ciation in New York, January 12, and

the organization of a new national body. Immediately after this statement, one of the officials of the United States Golf Association, when interviewed on the topic, said that in his opinion a new association would be largely a matter of personal popularity, and that he did not believe any man in the world of American golf was strong enough to persuade the thinking golfers of the country to break away from the national body, and furthermore, provided a man was found with sufficient influence to further an attempt at secession, he would not care to go on record as the leader of such a

BILLINGS TO SELL STUD. Turfman Will Retain Only Lou Dillon and Uhlan. RICHMOND, Va., January 22 .- C. K. G. Billings has announced through his local

representative that he has decided to

sell at auction his entire trotting stud

which includes some of the most noted

horses to be disposed of are the Harves-

BY DENMAN THOMPSON.

on his services.

Jack Barry, who has succeeded Carrigan as Red Sox pilot, does not appear to be interested in Moran, however, and Griffith intends to look him over if he

Griffith received a letter from Nick Altrock this morning. In it Nick confirms the report that he has forsaken the stage. He informs his boss that lots of strike talk can be heard in Chicago, but says the movement will not affect him, and voices the opinion that the majority of the players are not in sympathy with Fultz's ideas. Nick says base ball has been good to him and that he is not ungrateful.

more prestige for the circuit. Its sup-porters in Maryland, West Virginia and Pennsylvania are hopeful of a success-

France, was killed Saturday

will sign at a reasonable figure.

tains fewer meets than in the past, the main addition being a dual indoor meet with the University of Michigan to be held at Ann Arbor this year and at Ithaca in the spring of 1918. The

Say Attacks Were Repulsed.

-By BUD FISHER.

Neutrality by Belligerents.

RIO DE JANEIRO, January 22 .- At a

SOUTH ATLANTIC TRACK GAMES ARE TO BE HELD IN BALTIMORE

Head of Players' Fraternity Makes Applica- Seven Colleges Vote for Meet in Maryland City and Four for Charlottesville-Princeton Not to Join S. A. I. A. A.

BY H. C. BYRD.

The annual outdoor track and field championships of the South Atlantic Intercollegiate Athletic Association will take place May 11 and 12, Friday and Saturday, at Homewood Field, Baltimore. Two places had been proposed for the meet, Virginia having tendered the dent that if there is any body to the strike movement at that time a full, fair exhibit of the whole case will just about end it. about end it.

American Pederation of Labor should become known almost any time now. David L. Fuitz, president of the players' organization, was in Washington Saturday, and appeared before the executive council of the federation. He was closeted with the council for more than an hour and presented his case at length. It has been taken under advisement and as soon as it is acted upon the result will be made known in a statement given out at headquarters of the federation, as is customary. It is understood that the question being debated by the council is whether ball players are wage earners in the leading debated by the construed by the construction from Chicago in the federation from Chicago from Chicag

Western Golf Association Officers to Formulate New Definition-Oppose

According to a report from Chicago,

Another contract signed by a Washington player arrived in the mail Clark Griffith found awaiting him at his office today. Griffith declined to say which one of his men had sent it in, as he did in the case of the first two that reached him, but he said it was from one of his 1916 team, which means, of course, that he is a member of the players' fraternity, as all of them were. This makes a total of eight signed over from last season and four signed this year, three by members of the Nationals' squad last campaign.

Notwithstanding the loss suffered by reason of the national commission's ruling of Pitcher Goodwin, who was awarded ed to the Milwaukee club, the local squad will consist of thirty-two players as originally announced by Griffith, if not more. Griffith expects to have with him at the training camp young Barry, the sensational amateur pitcher of Chicago, whose work on the lots of Chicago attracted Ban Johnson's attention last summer. Griffith has sent Barry a contract, in care of Johnson, and is confident Barry will be on hand at Augusta to show the Nationals' boss his wares. Barry is a righthander.

It is not unlikely that Mike Moran, the local player, also will make the trip. Moran was headed for the Boston Americans, as Scout Doyle induced him last year to give Manager Carrigan first call on his services.

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WHEELING IS LET OUT.

DATES FOR GRAND CIRCUIT.

Central League Has Three Cities Wheeling, W. Va., was dropped from the Central Base Ball League at a midwinter meeting here, the franchise being declared forfeited when no delegate from the West Virginia city put in an appearance. Fort Wayne and Gary, Ind., and Saginaw, Mich., are fighting for the vacancy, but the league magnates left the choice to the executive committee.

The Central League will not be redistricted as urged by the Three I and Central. Association, the directors feeling that it is on a sound finacial basis.

Wheeling Officials Object to Move. Fighting for Vacancy. range Schedule and Elect Officers.

to withdraw from the league provided the franchise could be sold, but that officials of the league cannot declare Wheeling's franchise forfeited.

were among those mentioned as seek-ing dates.
Secretary Kline has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election.

H. K. Devereaux of Them.

MARY BROWNE COMES BACK.

Former Tennis Champion Defeats Miss Sutton for Coronado Trophy. with the game of golf wherein one's usefulness or profit arise because of skill or prominence in the game of golf."

LARGE ENTRY LIST.

ter, 2.01, and William, 1.581/2. For the latter animal Mr. Billings paid \$30,000 less than two years ago, afterward making a Of his entire string Mr. Billings will Of his entire string Mr. Billings will retain only the famous gelding Uhlan, 1.58, which he had in California, using as a saddler, and Lou Dillon, 1.58½, world's champion trotting mare, which he retains through sentimental reasons.

Mr. Billings' determination to dispose of his stable follows his recent announcement that he would dispose of his one-million-dollar Curles Neck estate, one of the most famous plantations in Virginia. Two weeks ago he sold Tyron Hall, near Washington Heights, New York, and announced that he was going to California.

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EMPIRE A. C. IS BEATEN.

Washington Militiamen Lose to Baltimore Quint, 33 to 17.

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BALTIMORE, Md., January 22.—The feature event in the Coronado winter tennis tournament, play in which was resumed yesterday after several postponements because of rain, was the defeat of Miss Florence Sutton by Miss Mary K. Browne, former woman national champion, in a semi-final match. The score was 7—5, 4—6, 8—6. Miss Sutton was defending the Coronado trophy which she won last year.

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GUARDING BRAZIL'S COAST.

Steps Taken to Prevent Violation of Neutrality by Belligerents.

HAMPERS AMERICAN RELIEF.

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BRITISH BATTLE ON TIGRIS. London Claims Gains, But Turks

BERLIN, January 22, by wireless to

British east of Kut-el-Amara on the Tigris have been repulsed, Turkish army headquarters announced in its statesment of January 19. Heavy losses were sustained by the British in these operations and in an attack by Turk-

ish cavairy on a British cavairy bri-gade on this front. LONDON, January 22.—The war of-fice communication issued last night concerning the operations in Mesopo-

lengthy conference Saturday between President Wenceslau Braz and Dr. in Bowling Congress.

CHICAGO, January 22.—Between 650 and 700 five-man teams will roll for national titles in the American Bowling Congress tournament, which will begin in Grand Rapids, Mich., March 3, ac-

g a moral houses located outside the revay stricted districts to vacate their premlt ises within five days. A total of sevenlt-ty-five such notices have been served,
he by the local police department in its
for "clean up" campaign, begun a few days.

AMSTERDAM, via London, January 22.—A Vienna dispatch to the Berlin Lokal Anzelger says that forty persons are reported killed in the wreck of a Trieste-Vienna train in Styrla. The train was struck by an enformous rock, and another train which went to the rescue dashed into the wreckage, causing additional deaths. France, was killed Saturday while making a flight. Bernard was attached to the aviation corps. He enlisted at the beginning of the war, when he was only nineteen years of age. Bernard is one of many famous French athletes who lost their lives in the present struggle.

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three-year-olds eligible to the 2.20

did form at the present time, scored 99 out of 100, missing his eightieth target. E. W. Ford was close on his heels, accounting for 97 of his century. W. H. Dean, who missed four targets in his first thirty, finished with 96, running his last 70 straight.

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RED SOX WILL BE BUSY

Champions Have Many Exhibition

Games Arranged in Coming

Spring Tour.

BOSTON, Mass., January 22 .- Ar-

training trip, so far as the exhibition

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Golf to Stick to Business

the recent ruling of the United States Golfing Association, which

declined to take him out of the

'pro' class?" is a question often

heard.

Here is what Oulmet says:

"I am sorry that they barred
me, but if they don't want me in
amateur golf I'll not force myself on them. I think they are
wrong, but I am not going to give
up my business to play the tournament game for pleasure. I
have my future to look after, and
I am going to stick."

Ouimet owns half interest in a
sporting goods concern in Boston.

Forty Die in Train Wreck.

AMSTERDAM, via London, January

SENSATIONAL SKI JUMPS

Hansen and Omtvedt Divide Amateur and Pro Honors at

Annual Meet. CHICAGO, January 22 .- Hans Hansen of St Paul divided honors with Ragnar Omtvedt of Chicago in the annual ski omtwelt of Chicago in the annual ski tournament of the Norge Ski Club of Chicago. Hansen led the amateurs with two perfect jumps, the longest 145 feet. While Omtwelt, holder of the world's record leap of 132 feet, 9 inches, made the longest perfect jump of the day. 155 feet. Fred Brunn, Chicago professional, outranked Omtwelt with two perfect jumps, the longest 142 feet. Brunn was the only one of the twenty-one amateurs and professionals entered to make three leaps of the competition in perfect style.

A slight rain which froze as it fell made the packed smow on the steel slide and the packed smow on the steel slide and the packed smow on the steel slide sticky, and the landing hill was also so sticky.

Taining trip, so far as the exhibition games in the world not care to go agames to be played between the world on the two profests and the Brooklyn team are thanked the beautiful thanks they are that it will be for any of the clubs to violate it. The Rel Sox will use Majestic Park and the Dodgers will practice at Whittington Park.

Camp will be broken about March in perfect style.

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chrouded in mist and the skiers declared they could hardly distinguish the take-off, while the landing slope was entirely hidden.

Lars Haugen of St. Paul, former national professional champlon, made the longest jump of the day. 185 feet, but toppled over as he landed and withdrew after falls. Gilbert Hagen of Mount Horeb, Wis., with Einar Jensen of Chicago made at tandem leap, the most spectacular feature of the Norge Club's spectacular feature of the Norge Club's spectacular feature of the Norge Club's most of the school events will be held on the first day of the carnival, as will also the pentathion, the city college mediey program. Both landed successfully, Henry Hall of St. Paul, national professional champion; Andrew Olsen of Iola, Wis., and Barney Reilley of Blair, Wis., were among the well known visiting entrants who fell in their jumps. Special trains brought several hundred spectators to the Norge Club's silde at Cary; Ill., near here.

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TO ASSIGN TENNIS TOURNEY.

Club has been asked to serve on the committee on time and place for the national doubles championship, which was authorized at the last meeting of the executive committee of the United States National Lawn Tennis Associaretary of the national association, is chairman and the other members are: Paul Sheldon, Hartford, Conn.; C Drummond Jones, St. Louis, Mo., and

When this committee was authorized in December it was decided to recomelegates as to an award of the event.

A. Y. Leech on National Committee to Select Place for Contests. A. Y. Leech of the Columbia Country

T. W. Hendrick, Buffalo, N. Y.

in December it was decided to recommend to the annual meeting of the U.S.

N. L. T. A. a change in the doubles championship to make it an open tournament, as the national singles championship now is. In order to have suggestions ready for the annual meeting Secretary Torrey has written to clubs which might be interested in holding the national doubles championship to learn whether or not they want to put in a bid for the event, and exactly what their qualifications are for such a tournament, ris letter asks for the number of grass courts, accommodations for players and spectators and the like. When the desired information is assembled his committee will meet to determine its recommendations to the

Otts Breaks 99 Targets Out of 100. Thirteen members of the Analostan Gun Club participated in the weekly

shoot held Saturday afternoon. Some remarkable markmanship was witness ed. E. V. Otts, who is shooting in splen-